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WASHINGTON.

Defense of the Republican Members of the Ku-klux Committee.

One Thousand Kuklux Indictments in North Carolina.

Little Raven and His Delegation at Home.

[Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The Indian Peace Commission to-morrow send one of their number to New Mexico and Arizona to induce the chief of the Apaches to visit Washington and arrange some terms of permanent peace. The mission, however, does not promise much encouragement. The Indian agent who has been negotiating with the Kickapoos in New Mexico, reports that he has been unable to get them on a reservation. The agent with the Kiowas also reports that this tribe are endeavoring to induce the Cheyennes and Sioux to join them in a general war against the whites.

It turns out that Representative Poland, the acting chairman of the Kuklux Committee, takes all the responsibility of telegraphing to conservative witnesses at the South to not appear at present, and thus relieves the sergeant-at-arms of the imputation placed on him by the committee on Friday. The delayed witnesses have been telegraphed to come at once.

Ex-Senator Hendricks, of Indiana, arrived to-day on his way South.

[To the Associated Press.]

REPUBLICANS DENY PREVENTING TESTIMONY.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Republican members of the Congressional Kuklux investigation Committee deny that the Sergeant-at-arms of the Senate has countermanded the subpœnas issued for certain witnesses at the request of the Democratic members of the committee, and notified them they need not appear. One Democratic witness, Mr. Hardeman, of Georgia, has been excused in consequence of want of time for his examination before the date appointed for the resumption of the inquiry, but this was the only case of the kind. It is further stated that the leader of the Kuklux in Orange county, North Carolina, F. M. Strudwick, and the impeacher of Gov. Holden, asked three several times for delay. Finally he came to Washington and reported to the Sergeant-at-arms. The day previous to the time for examination he left the city without leave or notice. He was again summoned but asked for further time, saying he was sick. He has not appeared before the committee.

W. L. Saunders, reputed State chief of the Kuklux of North Carolina, was also summoned, and asked for further time. Plato Durham, alleged to be grand chief of the Kuklux in Cleveland county, North Carolina, declined to come until after the 3d of August. H. W. Guion, supposed to be connected with the Kuklux of Mecklenburg county, has asked to be excused on account of court business. Mr. Avery, of South Carolina, reported and then left Washington. Gen. A. R. Wright, of Georgia, was summoned on the 21st of July, but has not yet obeyed. Other witnesses, however, have promptly obeyed, among them Col. Christy, of Athens, Ga., who is now here.

KUKLUX INDICTMENTS.

Accounts from Raleigh, N. C., say there are already one hundred indictments against members of the Kuklux in that State, and the number will probably be increased to ten hundred by the time specified for the term of the Circuit Court to be presided over by Judge Bond.

CHEYENNE AND ARAPAHOE INDIANS.

A letter has been received from the agent of Little Raven and other chiefs of the Indian delegation visiting the East, stated at the Cheyenne and Arapahoe agency, July 6. He states that they arrived home on the 25th all well, and found everything quiet. The Indians were much pleased with the kind account the delegation gave of their treatment while in Washington and other cities which they visited. Two days after their return John Smith, a Cheyennes trader, was stricken with apoplexy, and, being unable to procure a physician for him, he died. They found all the Arapahoes there on their arrival, but a large band came down on the 8th and brought most of them home with them. Big Mouth, with about forty lodges, will remain. The have commenced planted which promises a good yield. The agent started a school last winter, which has been well conducted and largely attended during the spring and summer by Arapahoes and Cheyenne children of both sexes, some of the larger Indians taking much interest in the proceedings.

THE KIOWAS.

Lone Wolf, Stumbling Bear and another Kiowa chief say a large part of the Kiowas are encamped near Antelope Hills, and remain friendly, but the remainder of them, numbering, perhaps, one hundred lodges, have gone to Staked Plains, and joined the Comanches there. They are supplied with all they need by Mexican traders, getting in their trade arms, ammunition, etc. These Mexicans also encourage and accompany the Indians on their raids in Texas, and at the time Satanta made his last raid a party of Mexicans accompanied him, one of whom was killed by the Tonkaway scouts in the employ of the military in Texas.

ON THE WACHITA.

Crops are looking well on the Wachita, and most of the Indians are hard at work attending to them. Some little alarm is felt there about the Kiowa Indians, thinking they might come in and steal their horses. About five hundred Comanches are encamped on the Wachita. They are determined to remain at peace. The Rapparickkas are encamped near Fort Cobb, and say they wish to remain at peace with the whites.

CINCINNATI.

JOINT USE OF TRACK.

Contracts between the Marietta and Cincinnati and the Cincinnati and Baltimore Railroads and the Cincinnati and Springfield Railroad, for the joint use of the track through Main Street, were ratified yesterday by the two former roads.

RAILROAD SUPERINTENDENT KILLED.

Patrick Stapleton, assistant road superintendent of the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad, was run over and killed, near Xenia, Indiana, yesterday.

BETTER STAID UP.

An aeronaut named Tonnes, connected with Grady's circus, in descending with a balloon in Massillon, Ohio, yesterday, came down in a canal basin and was drowned.

WOMAN KILLED.

A woman named McCoone was run over and killed by a freight train, near Youngstown, Ohio, yesterday.

DEFENDING THE SUNDAY LAWS.

A number of the ministers of this city took the field to-day in defense of the Sunday laws.

SHOT AT HIS FATHER'S GRAVE.

A special to the Commercial and Gazette says: A young Irishman named Jas. Mealey was shot and killed this afternoon near North Lewisburg, Champaign county, by Jno. Murphy. The old trouble was at the foundation of the affair. Mealey and a man named Shehe, came upon him at a grave-yard, where he had been visiting his father's grave. Murphy appears to have been acting in self-defence. He gave himself up to the Mayor after the occurrence.

FIRES.

Destructive Fire in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—The heaviest fire of the season occurred on Market street, near Freemont, among the lumber and planing mills this evening. The flames were driven by a high wind, spreading with startling rapidity. The total loss is over a quarter of a million. The principal losses are: Whipp's Coal-yard, $7,000; Brass Foundry, $30,000; Bendroski & Co., $23,000; B. H. Freeman, $10,000; John Mellon, $7,000; Mechanee's Mills, $10,000. There is a very small insurance. A hundred men are thrown out of employment.

FIRE IN THE MOUNTAINS.

The fires in the Cascade Mountains are doing much damage.

CATTLE BURNED—A VILLAGE NARROWLY ESCAPES.

WORCESTER, MASS., July 23.—A fire in Northboro, on Friday night, consumed the large barn belonging to Dr. Henry Barrett, together with its contents, which included six head of cattle. Loss, $6,000.

Another fire broke out at So'olock and burned until nearly 11, with such fury as to excite fears that the whole village would be destroyed, but was at last subdued by the assistance of firemen from neighboring towns. Two large blocks, in which were three stores, postoffice, provision market and residences of three families, were consumed; also two dwelling houses and barn. Six families were burned out and most of their furniture destroyed. Loss nearly $40,000, a small portion only of which is covered by nsurance.

The Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, July 23, 7 P.M.—An area of low barometer continues over Florida, with cloudy weather and southwest winds at Key West. The area of high barometer which on Saturday afternoon was west of Michigan, is now central in Pennsylvania. Easterly winds are now generally reported from Louisiana to Lake Superior, and the barometer is falling from Kansas northward. Clouds and rain have very generally cleared away in New England, but rain has fallen from Nebraska westward, and cloudy weather is increasing west of Mississippi.

PROBABILITIES—It is probable that rain will extend on Monday from Kansas to Lake Michigan and northwards, with easterly winds on the upper lakes. Pleasant weather will probably continue in the Middle and Eastern States, and in the interior of the South Atlantic States.

A Cure for Love.

CLEVELAND, July 22.—A young lady named Delia Calgrove, living at Painesville, Ohio, having been discarded by her lover, Charles Harris, swallowed a dose of arsenic night before last, and died from its effects last night.

NEW YORK.

Relief of a Widow.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Contributions for the relief of the widow of Sergeant Wyatt, of the Ninth regiment, killed during the riots of the 12th inst., exceed seven hundred dollars, and are rapidly increasing.

DEATH OF A NIECE OF PRESIDENT MONROE.

Mrs. Alexander Hamilton, niece of President Monroe, died Friday night at her residence in New Brunswick, New Jersey. Her husband, who survives, is a son of Gen. Alexander Hamilton.

THE RAILROAD DIVIDEND.

The united railroads of New Jersey, whose lease to the Pennsylvania Central is still pending, have declared a three-per-cent. semi-annual dividend.

THE HORSE-PLAGUE.

The horse-plague in this city is rapidly abating.

GREELEY ELECTIONEERING.

Horace Greeley dined yesterday at the Brevoort House with James B. Eads, of St. Louis, Dr. Fausig, Lu Reavis and Mr. Vail, of the Bank of Commerce, were invited, and presidential and other public questions discussed with much interest.

EXPLOSION OF PETROLEUM—VESSEL BURNED.

The French schooner Jenny, for Hull, with petroleum oil, lying off Jersey Flats ready for sea, caught fire this evening from an explosion of the cargo in the hold, and burned to the water's edge. The crew were picked up by a revenue cutter.

RAILROAD FEAT.

The Great Change of Gauge on the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad—Both Rails Moved in Along Three Hundred Miles of Track in a Few Hours.

The Narrow Gauge Completed.

CINCINNATI, July 23.—The work of changing the gauge from six to four feet nine inches on the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad commenced daylight this morning, and was completed throughout the entire line, a distance of 340 miles, at 11 o'clock A. M. The average time for completing the sections was seven hours. The section at Shamansion station was finished at 9:25 o'clock, and many others at an early hour, under the direction of J. L. Griswold, General Superintendent. The entire line of road was cleared of rolling stock at midnight last night, and the same placed at previously designated stations. The changes in the track by which the gauge was reduced consisted of moving each rail inwardly 7½ inches. The interior spikes had been driven, the ties chambered and the rails on curves laid. Alternate spikes had also been missed. The work for today consisted of raising the rest of the spikes, moving up the rails, which being fish-joint were continuous, and respiking. To accomplish this gangs of seven men were placed in each mile, part of whom were borrowed from other roads. This change, ranking among the first railroad feats of the country, so far as track and superstruction are concerned, has been under the supervision of Thomas D. Lovett, chief engineer. Narrow-gauge passenger cars will commence running to-morrow morning.

THROUGH FROM NEW YORK TO ST. LOUIS.

The first through car of the Adams Express Company from New York to St. Louis arrived here to-night, and will go forward on the first train after gauge is altered on Ohio and Mississippi Railroad to-morrow morning.

THE ST. LOUIS END.

ST. LOUIS, July 23.—The change of gauge of this end of the Ohio and Mississippi railroad was successfully accomplished to-day. Some five hundred men were distributed at the rate of eight to the mile, between here and Oden, and the work of moving the rails was done in a speedy and satisfactory manner. Both rails were moved seven and a half inches.

ST. LOUIS.

Mississippi Bridge at Hannibal.

ST. LOUIS, July 22.—The draw of the bridge at the crossing of the Mississippi river, at Hannibal, Mo., was successfully swung this afternoon.

Senator Schurz will address the Germans of Chicago on the day next week.

THE COMMERCIAL AGENCY CASE.

A large number of witnesses were examined to-day, in the Mellier vs. Bradstreet Commercial Agency case, and a great deal of conflicting testimony was given.

Mr. Larne, chief clerk of the agency, testified that the agency is controlled in its ratings of merchants alone by a sense of duty to its patrons.

F. O. Day, of the firm of Derby & Day, testified to the general accuracy of Bradstreet's reports. Never knew of any one connected with the agency being influenced by presents with the agency considerations.

Mr. Stewart, partner of Mr. Day, corroborated this statement.

James Richardson and George Bain gave similar testimony.

It is proper to state that the testimony given by W. B. King on the first day of the trial, that he had gold-headed canes and other presents would procure satisfactory ratings, was ruled out by the court. It also appears that the testimony of Mr. Eames was mainly hearsay evidence.

The case was closed to-night, and the court took the motion to dissolve the injunction under advisement.

SELLING RAILROAD PROPERTY FOR TAXES.

Collector Bourke has advertised the rolling stock and other personal property of the North Missouri Railroad Company, which was levied on some days ago for taxes, to be sold on the 1st August.

BIRTHDAY OF SIR WALTER SCOTT.

Prominent Scotchmen of this city are making extensive preparations for a grand celebration of the centennial birthday of Sir Walter Scott.

DEFAULTER IN CUSTODY.

Detective Pierson, of New Orleans, passed through here last night, having in custody James Hogan, charged with embezzling three thousand five hundred dollars from his employer. He was arrested in Mount Sterling, Illinois.

NORTH AMERICAN SAENGERFEST.

The preliminary arrangements for the North American Saengerfest, which is to be held here some time next year, are well under way and approaching completion. An executive and various other committees, embracing some of our most prominent citizens, have been appointed, and great interest is being taken in the matter by the local Germans and American portions of our population. Should the Democratic National Convention be held here, it is probable that joint arrangements will be made for the erection of an immense building suitable for the occasion.

FATAL SHOOTING AFFRAY.

A man named Coram rode up to the house of James Combs, in Jackson county, Illinois, on Saturday last, with the avowed purpose, it is said, of killing him. Combs suspecting his intention, seized a musket, fired at and wounded him in the abdomen, and afterwards fired a pistol at him. Coram fled, but after riding about a hundred yards fell from the horse and died. Combs has been several times previously arrested by Coram. He surrendered to the authorities and was released on bail.

DIED OF HIS WOUND.

Constable Baughman, who was wounded while attempting to arrest a desperado named Armstrong, near Springfield, Mo., a day or two ago, has since died.

FOREIGN.

Corsica Proposed as an Inviolable Residence for the Pope.

France Will Take no Step to Alienate Italy.

Prince Napoleon Ordered to Leave France.

FRANCE.

Theirs on the Papal Question.

PARIS, July 23.—In the course of M. Thiers' address before the National Assembly at Versailles yesterday, the President, speaking of Italy, said it was impossible to adopt a course which would lead to war. The true policy of France was peace and reorganization. No steps must or should be taken which will even tend to alienate Italy.

Amiens.

The French troops have reoccupied Amiens.

Margaret Belanger.

The Court of Cassation has exonorated M. De Valmue, president of the court under the empire, from all criminality in the affair of Marguerite Bersager.

Newspaper Prosecution.

Favre has ordered the prosecution of the Verite newspaper for publishing a letter from Salbye.

Faidherbe.

Gen. Faidherbe, who was elected to the Assembly by three constituencies, has chosen to represent the department of the North.

Corsica for the Pope.

Le Monde to-day proposes that the Island of Corsica be tendered to the Pope as an inviolable residence, by which means, it claims, that the supremacy of France as defender of the Catholic faith will be maintained.

Bonapartist Journal Seized.

The Bonapartist's journal, Avenir Liberal, has been seized for publishing a virulent attack on M. Jules Favre.

Prince Napoleon Exiled.

Prince Napoleon, who has been staying for three days at Havre, has been ordered to leave France.

The Elections.

The municipal elections are proceeding today. No disturbances have occurred. Official reports show Paris is healthy.

SPAIN.

Roster of the New Ministry.

MADRID, July 23.—The new ministry has been arranged as follows: President of the Council and Minister of War, Marshal Serrano; Minister of Foreign Affairs, Admiral Topete; Minister of the Interior, Senor Segasta; Minister of Justice, Senor Ulloa; Minister of Finance, Senor Acrostigui; Minister of Public Works, Senor Candido; Minister of Marine, Admiral Macampo; Minister of the Colonies, Senor Ayala.

GERMANY.

The Emperor and the Czar.

BERLIN, July 23.—The Emperor William goes, to-morrow, to visit the Czar of Alexander, at Ingenheim, Bavaria. The Czar returns on Tuesday to Russia.

PORTUGAL.

Cortes Opened—The King's Speech.

LISBON, July 22.—The Portuguese Cortes was opened to-day by the King in person. In his speech from the throne King Louis expressed his gratitude for the reception given to his auglist relative, the Emperor of the Empress of Brazil. The speech was otherwise devoted entirely to the affairs of the kingdom, the finances of which, he said, were still embarrassed.

CHICAGO.

Insurance Company Exploded.

CHICAGO, July 23.—The explosion of the Lamar Insurance Company, of this city, is announced. For some months there has been much talk of the bad management of the institution, charges of fraud, corruption and perjury have been made by stockholders against the management of the company. Yesterday, on application of the stockholders, the following injunction was given.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE COURIER-JOURNAL, SATURDAY EVENING, July 22.

MONEY—The week closes on an easy market. Depositors are full, checking is light; and, as a consequence, bank balances are increasing. It is evident that merchants and business men generally are beginning to time to prepare for the fall trade, which it is expected will be a heavy one. In bank, all good first-class paper is in demand at the usual rates of 9@12 per cent.

EXCHANGE—The movement in Eastern exchange is fully as large as expected at this season of the year. Very little is now being made, and the demand is only moderate. Bankers sell at par @ 1-10 premium.

GOLD—The movements in gold are very light.

Morton, Gall & Co., bankers, Main street, between Fourth and Fifth, quote as follows:

	Buying.	Selling.
Gold	113	113¼
Silver halves and quarters	106	107
Silver dimes	103	105

GOVERNMENT BONDS—Have been very inactive in this market, and they show a decline in New York.

Coupons of 1867	114¾@115¼	
" " 1862	118¾@114¾	
" " 1864	113¾@113¾	
" " 1865	113¾@113¾	
" " 1865 (new)	111¾@112¾	
" " 1867	111¾@112¾	
" " 1868	112 @113	
Ten-forties	112 @113	
Currency 6s	113¾@113¾	

The following quotations will show the course of the New York market during the past three days:

Coupons,	'61	Thur. 115¾	Fri. 115¾	Sat. 115¾	Adv.	Dec. ¼
"	'62	114¾	114¾	114¾		¼
"	'64	113¾	113¾	113¾		¼
"	'65	114	114	113¾		¼
"	'65 (new)	113¾	113¾	113¾		¼
"	'67	113¾	113¾	113¾		¼
"	'68	113¾	113	113		¾
10-40 coupons		113	113¾	113¾		¼
Currency 6s		113¾	113¾	113¾		¼

LOCAL STOCKS AND BONDS—There is no change of any moment to make in prices. The demand for city and county bonds is good, especially for city, and the supply is inadequate. For prices we refer to the following quotations furnished by Morrison, Gest & Co., Bankers, 130 West Main, between Fourth and Fifth streets:

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked
National Bank, First	117	118
National Bank, Second	103	105
National Bank, Planters'	99	100
National Bank, City	103	104
Bank of America	98	100
Bank of Kentucky	97	100
Bank of Louisville	85	
Merchants' Bank	128	130
Commercial Bank	75	78
Northern Bank	125	128
Citizens' Bank	103	104
People's Bank	95	97
Mazonic Bank	101	102
Farmers' Bank	95	98
Security Bank	114	115
German Bank	125	126
West'n Financ'l Corporation Bank	99	100
Falls City Tobacco Bank	98	99
Farmers' and Drovers' Bank	100	101
Manufacturers' Bank	90	92
Louisville Insurance Co. Bank	186	
German Insurance Co. Bank	139	
Western Insurance Co. Bank	131	
Central Bank	99	100
Commercial Insurance Co. Bank	108	110
Manufacturers' Bank	90	92
Louisville Insurance Co. Bank	186	
German Insurance Co. Bank	139	
Western Insurance Co. Bank	131	
Central Bank	99	100
Commercial Insurance Co. Bank	108	110

BONDS.		
L. & N. R. R. Co., old, 7 per c	94	95
L. & N. R. R. Co., new, 7 per c	90	92½
L. C. & L. R. R., 1st mort., 7 per c	84½	85
L. C. & L. R. R., 2d mort., 7 per c	80	82½
L. M. & L. R. R., 1st mort., 7 per c	84½	85½
L. M. & L. R. R., 2d mort., 7 per c	75	77½
L. & P. R. R., 1st mort., 7 per c	85	87½
City for improvements, 6 per c	78	80
City for funding, 7 per c	78	79
City for schools, 6 per c	80	83
City for wharf, old, 6 per c	81	83
City for wharf, new, 6 per c	80	82
City for water-works, old, 6 per c	82½	83½
City for water-works, new, 6 per c	77	78
City for L. & N. R. R., 6 per c	78	79
City for L. & N. R. R., L. E., 6 per c	78	80
City for L. & P. R. R., 6 per c	80	90
City for old liabilities, 10 yrs, 7 per c	89	90
City for old liabilities, 5 yrs, 7 per c	94	95
City for school purposes, 7 per c	94½	95
Water-works bonds, 6 per c	83	84
Canal bonds, second issue, 6 per c	80	81
Canal bonds, third issue, 6 per c	80	81
Canal bonds, fourth issue, 6 per c	78½	79½
Kentucky State bonds, old, 6 per c	90	91
Kentucky State bonds, new, 6 per c	90	91
Ohio River Bridge Co., 7 per c	90	94
Grayson county, 7 per c	75	77
Hardin county, 7 per c	75	77
Lyon county, 7 per c	77	78
Caldwell county, 7 per c	77	78
Oldham county, 7 per c	70	75
Shelby county, 8 per c	99	100
Carroll county bond, 8 per c		90
New Albany City, 7 per c		85
Cass county, Mo., new, 10 per c		80
Vernon co., Mo., 8 per c		83
Marion co., Mo., 8 per c		90

Bonds marked " are sold with interest added.

Government Bonds in New York.

[Herald, 20th.]

The action of the Treasury Department was variously canvassed in Wall street, but no doubt was expressed as to the propriety of Mr. Boutwell's conduct in refusing to pay a premium for bonds, the only difference of opinion to arise about the fixing of the value of gold, which, being taken as 112¾, leaves exclusive the purchase of quite a large proportion of the bonds offered by the brokers, who were, consequently, surprised at their rejection. It is said that the gold ought naturally to be the one adopted as the standard in this matter; but a little variation in the amount of bonds would not be likely to be objected to, if as on to-day there have been simultaneous sales of gold at 112¾ and 113, and above the figure that is bid in the Gold Room. It is feared that this action of the Treasury Department will produce an unfavorable effect on the London market as soon as the facts are known there; but such an inference is probably hasty. Powerful London and Paris bankers will see that, with the Government ready to buy its obligations up to their par in gold, there is no great danger to their investments of their merits as investments. Our own people will not be displeased if the action should lead to a reduction in the annual purchases of bonds and consequently to an important reduction of taxes. Mr. Boutwell, it is understood, has not often told him, that he will enhance the credit of the country more by a reduction of the taxes than by an overwhelming accumulation of the five-twenties. For the immediate present the street is disposed to look at the decision from this limitation of the power to agent only steady at a slight decline in prices.

The Sugar Crop.

[New Orleans Picayune, 20th.]

Advices from the country represent the cane crop of this State in splendid condition. The recent dry spell has enabled planters to put down the grass entirely, and the cane has been laid by in unusually healthy condition. The prospects were never better for a fine yield in proportion to the area planted. The rains which now favors a large crop, but an early freeze may materially curtail the production, or protracted warm weather in the fall may retard the development of the saccharine matter. With an average season, however, we may expect from 200,000 hogsheads, and probably 225,000 hogsheads.

Petersburg, (Va.) Tobacco Market.

[Index, 20th.]

The breaks this week have been larger than we expected, and we have but little change to report. For shipping the market has ruled less active, and prices are a little lower, but still much better, comparatively speaking, than they were for manufacturing fillers. We quote fair to good shipping at $10@12, and fine at $12 50@13 50; but there is very little selling or $12. Manufacturing fillers $7 50@8 50 for common; $9 50@10 for fair to good, and $10 50@ 12 for fine. Lugs $5 00@6 50 for poor to common, and $6 75@8 00 for fair to very good. Primings $4 50@5 50; the latter for good and of shipping weights and in good condition. Coal for manufacturing is less active, and prices lower. We quote fillers at $7 50 to $12, and wrappers at $15 to $20 as to quality.

Stock of Grain in Liverpool.

The following is the return of the present stocks of grain in Liverpool, as made to the Corn Trade Association to the 30th June last, with the return of the stocks at previous periods:

	June 30, 1870.	March 31, 1871.	June 30, 1871.
Wheat	688,576	393,932	477,081
Barley	11,716	1,710	2,407
Malt	3,139	2,875	2,739
Oats	7,392	11,755	9,181
Beans	4,760	28,631	12,894
Peas	7,848	5,622	5,725
Indian corn	66,808	19,236	58,754
Oatmeal	11,122	1,720	9,561
Flour, sacks	43,113	46,036	34,713
Flour, bbls	118,768	150,954	109,817

The Supply of Wool.

[New York Bulletin, 20th.]

Recently, the subject of the deranging effect of current speculation upon the wool market, and the folly of manufacturers in supporting artificially high prices for raw stock, by buying large amounts of the new clip in advance. The course of receipts of this staple, during late weeks, more than confirms the views we then expressed. High prices have stimulated the supply, and hence we find almost unprecedented quantities coming into the market from the West and Boston. Large purchases on American account were reported at the last wool sales in London, with the effect of putting the prices there 1@2d. per pound; and the advance at London is now quoted here as a reason for higher prices in this market, although the purchases which caused that advance will contribute to over supply the trade in a short time, and the violent stock will be the utmost tenacity of our speculative holders. For the purpose of showing the late course of supply we present the following comparisons of the receipts and of domestic receipts at New York and Boston during June 1, compared with the like period of last year:

IMPORTS OF WOOL FROM JUNE 1 TO DATE.

	1871. Bales.	1870. Bales.
At New York	9,841	1,466
At Boston	11,500	1,289
Total imports	21,141	2,755
Increase	18,386	

RECEIPTS OF DOMESTIC WOOL FROM JUNE 1 TO DATE.

	1871. Bales.	1870. Bales.
At New York	56,153	37,728
At Boston	60,500	29,073
Total	116,653	56,090
Increase	59,957	
Total domestic and foreign	137,797	59,451
Increase	78,346	

It thus appears that, within the last seven weeks, we have received at these ports 21,144 bales of foreign wool, against only 2,755 bales for the like period of last year; and that the receipts of domestic, for the same time, have been 116,653 bales, against only 56,090 bales in 1870. Putting together the receipts of domestic and foreign at New York and Boston for the seven weeks, we have an aggregate supply of 137,797 bales, compared with 59,451 bales in 1870, showing an increase of 78,346 bales, or over 130 per cent. Can anything seem more incredible than that, with this immense increase of receipts, wool should be selling at 30@35 per cent. above the prices current a year ago? There was doubtless some deficiency in last year's supply, as compared with the wants of manufacturers; but we cannot but think that the increased supply in all the wool-growing countries was more than sufficient to compensate for the lack in our own receipts. The importations of wool into Great Britain alone, for the first five months of this year, were 28,069,000 lbs in excess of those of 1870 for the same period, while in the exports from that country there was no material increase. Yet, regardless of this large increase in the British importations, our importers have been active buyers at the London sales, and their bidding against French dealers, who are anxious to get ample supplies in anticipation of an impost duty of 20 per cent., has been the chief cause of higher prices in England. Events must show whether the course of our home supply justifies this hasty anxiety to procure large foreign supplies.

"Drummers" Again.

There is a disposition manifested by merchants of Eastern cities to abandon drumming altogether; but one city hesitates while others persist, consequently drummers still go around the country. Recently the President of the Wheeling Board of Editorial Convention, Charles Seymour, Esq., took occasion to speak of the drumming system in terms of severe condemnation, and this called out a letter from a traveling man, which Mr. S. answers at considerable length in his paper, the La Crosse Republican. The concluding portion of his article is as follows:

"Fifty thousand guerrillas, at the low average estimate of twelve dollars per day each for salary and traveling expenses, although many of them largely exceeded that, add to the commercial burdens of this country the round sum of two hundred and nineteen millions of dollars annually, a sum which would defray the expenses of running a couple of such governments as the republic of the United States. This is more than the ratio between the wholesale and retail merchants of the United States an expense is incurred equal to a tax upon each man, woman, and child, of nearly six dollars annually. This sum would annually construct a thousand miles of railway. This sum would buy fifty thousand good farms. This sum would, in ten years, pay off the national debt. This cost is extravagantly beyond the benefits it secures to the public, and if applied to benevolent purposes, would support a quarter of a million people in luxury. It is estimated that New York city alone supplies 30,000 of the 50,000 guerrillas; and it would be cheaper to support that crowd in some other way than that of traveling."

A Hubbub in Chicago.

The Chicago Board of Trade is evidently about experiencing one of its customary summer storms—one of those convulsions of the commercial elements which always result in the Lake City to the advantage of home operators, who take advantage of the darkness to empty the pockets of the outsiders. The present pretext is a supposititious "corner" upon wheat and oats, which Chicago dealers propose to evade by re-enacting the following resolution:

Whenever any member of this board shall claim that the fulfillment of his contract is interfered with by the existence of a "corner," the President of the board shall, upon the application of any party to such contract, appoint a committee of three disinterested members of the board, who shall decide as to the existence of a "corner," and if they find a "corner" exists, as stated at the time of the maturity of the contract, such contract shall be settled on the basis of actual value, as compared with other property of the same kind, but of a different grade in this market, and with property of the same grade in other markets, such value to be ascertained as near as may be, and a price to be fixed by a majority of such committee.

The Tribune speaks of the matter as follows:

The great difference in wheat and oats, between the prices paid for delivery this month and those charged for seller August (amounting to 6c on wheat and 2c on oats) has given rise to the cry of "corner," and it was stated to-day that a scheme will be made in the Legislature for passage of the old rule 18, which was abolished last October, being found to be impracticable. It differs from the rule now in force in the point which they did not own want to be relieved from the responsibility of their own acts, though they would have been perfectly willing to take the profits if the market had gone in their favor. The proposition has excited quite a hubbub, and it is stated that a telegram came from Europe to parties in Buffalo this morning to the effect that they would come to trade this summer if the obnoxious rule were re-enacted. The motion was made to-day, and lies over ten days under the rule before being acted upon.

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New Orleans Markets.

[Picayune, 20th.]

COTTON—The sales to-day embrace 1000 bales, at steadier prices.

The demand was fair and more general than for several days past, seven or eight brokers participating in the business. Low ordinary sold at 13c, 13¼c and 13½c. Strict ordinary at 14¼c, 14¾c and 15c, a style between strict ordinary and good ordinary at 15¾c, and good ordinary at 16¾c.

COTTON STATEMENT.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1870 (bales)		30,996
Arrived since last statement	1,018	
Arrived previously this month	1,491	
City baling from samples, etc.	19,586	1,515,339
		1,536,035
Cleared to-day	4,607	
Cleared previously	1,481,428	
Burned	999	1,486,364
Stock on hand and on shipboard		49,671
Stock on hand corresponding time last year		54,161

To-day's exports embraced 1602 bales to Liverpool, and 3095 to Havre. Receipts proper since last evening 695 bales against 1287 on last Wednesday, and 134 last year. Total receipts to-day since Friday evening of 3444 bales against 5109 on the corresponding time last week, 1,000 last year, and since August 33, of 1,494,788 bales, against 1,135,699 last year.

SUGAR—There were no receipts to-day. Several lots were sold, from previous supplies, at 10c for good common, 10¾c for fair, and 10¾c for good fair.

MOLASSES—There were no receipts to-day. Fermentation forecasting is queried at 30@35c; plantation rebolled, 30@40c per gallon; city refinery reboiled, 30@45c; golden syrup $1 00 per gallon.

Narrow vs. Broad Gauges.

The propriety of altering the width of the broad-gauge lines of railway to one more likely to secure dividends to the stockholders seems to be forcing itself on the minds of directors of railroads, the question of the advantages of the two gauges having been apparently settled by the passage of the old rule 18, which was abolished last October, being found to be impracticable. It differs from the rule now in force in the point which they did not own want to be relieved from the responsibility of their own acts, though they would have been perfectly willing to take the profits if the market had gone in their favor. The proposition has excited quite a hubbub, and it is stated that a telegram came from Europe to parties in Buffalo this morning to the effect that they would come to trade this summer if the obnoxious rule were re-enacted. The motion was made to-day, and lies over ten days under the rule before being acted upon.

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Weekly Review of the Markets.

BROOMS—Market generally quiet. Dealers quote common qualities at $1 75@2 00 per dozen, and prime qualities at $2 50@3 per dozen.

BATTING—Is firm at advanced figures, with ample stocks. Dealers quote extra at 22c; No. 1 at 19@20c; No. 2 at 17@18c; common at 14@15c.

BAGGING—The market is moderately active, and during the week sales have been made of some 4,000 pcs. at 16@16½c.

BAGS—The market is very quiet, and dealers hold at quotations:

2-bushel, seamless bags, cotton	32¾@37½
2-bushel burlaps	19
3-bushel do	22½@26
Gunnies, in bales	19 @20
Gunnies, reserved	21 @

CEMENT—In fair demand, and manufacturers are selling at $1 65@1 90 per bbl. Sales today of 971 bbls.

COAL—Coal is quiet and firm, and dealers quote Pittsburg coal at 15c; 16c in barges and boats, and 20c to the city trade. Pomeroy coal is sold at 18c, delivered.

CANDLES—The market is steady, with a fair demand. Dealers quote:

Double refined Candles	16@18
FANCY CANDY—	
Machine Drops	18@20
Balls and Kisses	18@20
Fig Candy	18@20
Nut Candy	18@20
Gum Drops	18@20
Arabian Gum Drops	16@20
Imperials	35@30
Stick Candy	35@30
Lozenges	35@40
Common pan work	30@30
Pale Almonds	30@40
No. 2 do	25@30
Plain Creams	35@40
Rosewater Creams	31@35
Cordial Goods	30@35

CANNED GOODS—There is a fair demand for goods embraced in the following list, and prices are steady:

Peaches, 2 and 3 lb	$2 25@3 50
Strawberries, 2 lb	3 00@3 25
Pineapples	2 25@3 00
Cherries	2 00@2 50
Gooseberries	2 30@2 50
Pears	2 00
Plums	2 75@3 50
Brandy Peaches, glass, per doz	3 75@4 25
Brandy Cherries, glass, per doz	3 00@3 25
Tomatoes, 3 cans, per doz	2 00@2 25
Jellies, per doz	1 90@2 00
Preserves, assorted, per doz	1 90@2 00
Worcester Sauces, pts&hlf pts, per doz	4 25@8 00
Catsup, tomato, per doz

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LOUISVILLE,
MONDAY MORNING, JULY 24, '71.

Democratic State Ticket.

Governor—PRESTON H. LESLIE, of Barren.
Lieut. Gov.—JOHN C. CARLISLE, of Kenton.
Attorney Gen.—JOHN RODMAN, of Franklin.
Aud. Pub. Acc.—D. HOWARD SMITH, of Oldham.
Treasurer—JAMES W. TATE, of Franklin.
Sup't Pub. In.—Rev. H. A. M. HENDERSON, of Fayette.
Register Land Office—J. ALEXANDER GRANT.

City and County Ticket.

State Senator, 32d Dist.—E. D. STANDIFORD.
State Senator, 38th District—A. T. POPE.
State Senator, 37th District—J. J. FERRIS.
Rep., 1st District—M. WOODS FERGUSON.
Rep., 2d District—F. W. GAITSKEDER.
Rep., 3d District—E. F. WAIDE.
Rep., 4th Dis., 4th ward—J. GUTHRIE COKE.
Rep., 5th District—J. M. WRIGHT.
Rep., 6th District—J. S. CARPENTER.
Rep., 7th District—B. R. CASSILY.
Rep., 8th District—O. W. ANDERSON.
Rep., Jefferson County—E. POLK JOHNSON.
Election Monday, August 7, 1871.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

The City Council of Bowling Green has ordered that a special tax of twenty-five cents on every $100 worth of real estate on the line of water-works be assessed as a water tax for the year 1871, and that tax be placed to the credit of the Water Commissioners.

The Marion-County A. M. and S. Association holds its annual fair at Lebanon, commencing on Tuesday, August 29th, and continuing until September 1st. A special train will be run on the L. and N. R. R. from this city and return during the fair, charging $4 for the round trip.

The General Council of the Improved Order of Red Men will meet in Bowling Green Tuesday. Delegates will be in attendance from various portions of the State, and some conspicuous men from beyond the limits of Kentucky are expected to honor the occasion with their presence.

In 1870, the voting population in Warren county numbered 4,703, and now, according to Mr. R. Tisley's figures, are 5,004 white voters and 1,560 colored voters, showing an increase in one year of 861 in the voting population, or, in other words, a proportionate increase in the entire population of the county.

A party of men went seining on Barren river, ten miles from Bowling Green, on Wednesday last, about dinner time, and while drawing two negroes belonging to the party got into water over their heads and were drowned. One of the negroes is supposed to have been entangled in the seine, as he never made his appearance after sinking.

The Covington Journal of Saturday says: "A stranger, representing himself to be from Pittsburg, called at the houses of several gardeners near Independence, about midway in the string,

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BUBBLES FROM THE RHINE.

[Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

BONN ON THE RHINE, July 11, 1871.

The enchantress of the Rhine sits not only above the seven mountains waiting for the chosen lover; she follows the stream and seduces the sense wherever the eye rests upon the wide-winding floods of Germany's greatest love. At Bonn, the beginning of the immortal beauty of the lovely shores and castle-crowned summits, a beauty not less than the Swiss lakes, and the charm of endless festivity, awaits the traveler. Coming from mighty London, or the Chinese quiet of artificial Holland, the Rhine impresses one as a river of joy, and every day on its waters, or on its shores, seems like a gala day. And yet, a divine melancholy, a ravishing tenderness, none the less, are conveyed to the senses of a lover of the Rhine. Like the Lovelay of the famous Rhine legend, the river is marvelously beautiful, sinuously going its way with the indescribable gurgle of its whirling waters, leaving from us the very hours of our life. No river is more alive; the shores of no stream can claim more of the glory of song; and more blood and more wine have been poured out for the Rhine than for any river in the world. It is among rivers what Paris is among cities—the queen of greatest renown, the one river of rivers associated with the ideal of the cultivated world, the one supremely festive and glorious river of the earth which makes us surrender ourselves to poetry and joy. With such a river, with such shores, inlaid as they are with legends and blooming in beauty, it is not difficult for us to pay homage to the boast of Germany, and share the spirit of clamorous and thousand-armed patriotism which sprang to life in defense of the Rhine. Its historic renown is decorated with the pearls of romance, and its shores are populous with the most ancient cities, the walls and towers of which yet remain proof of the vigor of the mother age of Germany, while to-day her life is exuberant in the wine and blood of her soil and sons.

At twilight—and the twilights last until nine o'clock—sitting on the flower-festooned balcony of the Rheineck House, which overlooks the river, the whole landscape, with the soft gliding water gurgling by, iridescent in the evening glow, the graceful line of the opposite shore, the beautiful sweep of the mountain-forms in the distance, now and then the swift and noiseless gliding of the long sailing-boats of the river, you can easily lose the consciousness that you are in a rough and bustling world full of ugly facts. I should say the whole scene is phantom-like, did not the word *phantom* suggest something strange and ominous. No, the Rhine at twilight is rather like some river of a dream, by the side of which you seem to sit with the rosiest and sweetest pleasure of life. The tales of old romance, the siren charm of hours wedded to joy, are the natural accompaniment of your musings by the Rhine. All that you can think in the finest moment of your existence; all that sighs and is not; all that lives and floats in the ideal must hover about you in a twilight reverie on the Rhine. Other rivers may exhilarate, and the Rhine is exhilarating; a Yankee creek, even, would produce boisterous joy after having seen a Dutch canal. But the Rhine is enchanting; it glides into your profoundest poetic consciousness, and loses the most hidden sense of the pleasure of existence with the delight of its unstinted floods. And yet the Rhine, seen at mid-day is a dirty, yellow color, like a Western river, and the shores below Bonn are only like so much good prose, highly cultivated, it is true, yet very tame. But from old, old Bonn the eye can see the first breathing of the poetry of Rhine landscape. The Drachenfels or Dragon's Rock is visible in the distance, and the seven mountains and castles of great renown. All day excursion boats, loaded with the best-humored people in the world, and very little baggage, go up and down, occasionally, only eight boats pass on the river. It is not a river devoted to any great business interest; it never offers any spectacle of various and multitudinous sailing craft like out great Hudson. It is more like a Swiss lake, save the rush of its water. I have seen Lake Lucerne from its walled hights, and it is one of the most beautiful, one of the most picture-like scenes that I have ever seen, but it is not more beautiful than the Rhine in the evening, as seen from Bonn, or just as you approach the craggy hights of Drachenfels, which you can reach in one hour from the town. The ascent of the mountain is made in about three-quarters of an hour, and gives you a superb spectacle—the Rhine far below, winding on both sides of the mountain and lost in the silvery depths of the atmosphere of a perfect day of June, while the landscape, all glittering and gleaming with the sheen of sunlight on the rich vegetation of summer, is spread out in undulating spaces, caused by the dazzling river, which seems to have slipped quickly past the Dragon's Rock to sweep in magnificent curves through the valley to the cathedral town of Bonn.

An excursion up to the ruined castle on the top of the Drachenfels is productive of great sport, for you rise to one of the fastnesses of mediæval times, and to the lair of a fabulous dragon, upon a donkey! and the sensation may be compared to climbing a tower on a mouse's back. The donkeys are a little larger than good-sized Norman rats, and the ascent not quite so steep as the leaning tower of Pisa. But your donkey is apt to poke his nose against some one's Britch, walk over his heels, run German children, and push on regardless of everything. On his way down he is disposed to send his rider before him, over his head. But, after the most ludicrous ride in the world—and nothing can be more ludicrous than to ride upon a donkey—your evil genius must be so completely dislodged from his favorite seat in your consciousness, that you are wholly free to take in the wide and smiling scene from the mountain-top, which is the more impressive and gladdening from the fact that your ride up has been through an arcade of green leaves, which inclose you and afford only occasional glimpses of the line-shaped and the fair, gleaming river. Once on the crest of the Drachenfels, you stand 910 feet above the Rhine, surrounded by the massive masonry of the builders of seven centuries ago, shadowed by the rude and mighty castle of one of the old German Counts of the Feudal ages—the scene of many a fierce struggle; for here are the walls, ten feet thick, the watch tower, the narrow windows, the narrow path, the awful hight—the very home of ancient force and pride. Highest on these walls, save one German name, you can read two American names; one from Cincinnati, the other from Baltimore. Festive Germany is about you, drinking and making music; the strong tower resounds with cheerful sounds; all the gloom of the dark ages seem forever driven from this castle; but nothing robs it of its airy grandeur, the majesty of the splendid spectacle yet framed by its windows. A poor musician, with a proud German face, makes excellent music and subdues our noisy mirth. Each tourist is crowned with an oak wreath, the sign of his ascent of the Iragon's rock. The air is delightful, the vision splendid, and all of us seem like children of gladness. We go down like a Bachanalian procession, only needing some enchanter to strike off our modern disguises to appear as we are—so many children of nature, fauns and nymphs, joyously invading the very haunts of the middle ages, and not once more paying the tribute of happiness under the sky, on the hills, among the vines. The vine-slopes are luxuriant and suggest golden hours of good fellowship. And by the way, Rhine wine is pre-eminently a wine for out-of-doors. In fact all still, light wines taste best under green leaves, in the atmosphere of day, sun-warmed and music-filled. But for our hours of greatest luxury, for the accompaniment of feasting and the background of sumptuous saloons, for all that is cushioned and velvety, for the damask and laces of opulence, the glory of art and the splendor of civilization, give us the deep, deep red wines of Burgundy. But for nature, and a sylvan life, for the pure and gladsome hours of a joyous day out of doors, the light wines of the wide-winding Rhine.

But the hour for our return had come. We reached the river bank, after passing lovely gardens and a lot of happy-looking peasants, and went on the steamboat with a crowd of German students, and were received by the most delightful old baby—a gray-haired old lady—the captain, in fact, who, with a face like Silenus, a pouch not less generous, and a uniform like an American commodore, two blue swimming eyes, and two solitary teeth on each side of his mouth, blandly beamed upon each and all. The students chuffed the old fellow and all roared together, and it was not unlike the harmless revelry of so many great boys. The American eagle, the British lion, and the double-headed bird of prey of Prussia, and sundry minor birds and beasts, partly humanized, rejoiced upon the Rhine, as upon a great river of joy, bounding from the very bosom of life—a world-river in the keeping of the blonde and heroic Germania, who shall forever hold the Rhine—while unhappy France shall rise from the bloody fury of her evil days to renew her old delights, weave her old spells, the supreme genius of the *civilized*, as Germany is the heroic and motherly genius of the festive and patriarchal life of man.

EUGENE BENSON.

SMALL TALK.

BRET HARTE threatens to settle in New Jersey.

COL. HAMMOKAFELLAR, of New York, is registered at a London hotel.

THE Kansas papers replenish their coffers with wood-cuts of Dr. Medlicott and Mrs. Ruth.

IN order to more effectually oppose the Catholics, the Baltimoreans are organizing an "American Association."

A CANADIAN bank president, "worth" four millions, was married last week in Newburg, N. Y., to a widow "worth" a million.

THE Republican papers of the North quote from the Opelika Locomotive to prove that there is dissension in the Democratic party.

A REPORTER connected with the Boston Post has committed with Mrs. Livermore, and he pronounces her a stateswoman of commanding presence.

ACCOUNTS of railroad progress in Georgia are cheering. A railway train down there is reported to have caught up with and dispersed a funeral procession.

"INSTANT and rolling as the volley on a battle-field swung and split the booming discharge of rifles," in the New York riot, says George Alfred Townsend.

THE Chicago dogs are inoculating the Chicago children with hydrophobia, and the Chicago papers are crying out against the mawkish sentimentality of the Chicago police.

THE politicians of Maryland have been holding a convention, at which they omitted the customary platform. If the editors of Maryland would now hold a convention and omit to poem, there would be happiness in Maryland.

PRINCE WILLIAM, of Lunalilo, will shortly leave Honolulu for America. He is a noble Hawaiian, being the son of Kaio, who married the sister of King Kamehameha, who has been in the Hawaiian business for a number of years.

A NEW YORK judge gave $20 to a starving woman, whereupon she blessed him and broke for a restaurant, where she put herself out of her misery with lamb fries, boiled chicken, Bermuda potatoes, stuffed tomatoes, black tea, raspberries and Stilton cheese.

ELIZABETH CADY STANTON thinks the d—n young ones that people carry to lectures ought to be helped to a tablespoonful of soothing syrup before the lecture commences, not for the especial benefit of the infants, "but for the protection of the natural and undeniable rights of those who frequent public assemblies for the purpose of hearing what is said."

A PROHIBITION CONVENTION has just been held at Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Stinchcomb made a speech, calling for a law that should forever keep the human race from getting even a smell of liquor. A Mr. Pruden being present, prudently embodied Stinchcomb's sentiments in three resolutions. Mr. Foster got in a resolution to foster the intellect. Intemperance convention then nominated a county ticket and adjourned happy.

SINCE the New York riot, the circulation of the New York Herald has been reduced 6,000, and the circulation of the Sun has been reduced 8,000. The Star, which defends the rioters, has gained 10,000 subscribers. The circulation of the World has slightly increased, while the Times, Tribune and other dailies have not been materially affected. The correspondence of the Herald is deemed to withhold their advertisements from the Herald. All the papers, however, continue to thrive and get money.

MRS. STANTON is inclined to "cuss" because Mormon women "marry ourselves at fifteen years of age, and with their eyes fixed on the great hereafter, multiply and replenish, have children every year, and then drop into an early grave." She writes from Mormondom: "The morality among women and children is appalling. I visited their cemetery yesterday and saw acres of little graves. Every law of physiology, every holy instinct of woman's soul, is ruthlessly trampled under foot by these supposed revelations to the soul of man."

THE MERCER RACES.

A Calm Day at Harrodsburg—Large Attendance—The Horses and Result.

[Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

HARRODSBURG, KY., July 21, 1871.

There has been a crowd in town to-day that, in size and respectability, would have done honor to Saratoga or Long Branch, and to-night it is assembled here from all the parts of Central Kentucky, to witness the first horse race, of any consequence, that ever came off in the county. The weather was cool and favorable, and the track in fine condition, and nothing occurred to mar the pleasure or happiness of any one, unless it was the defeat of some very fine blooded trotting-stock, that did not come up to the expectation of their owners; but, of course, all could not win. By the time the sale of pools commenced there were perhaps several thousand people assembled within the ring, including the grand stand, which, by the way, seemed to enjoy themselves as much as did their gallant escorts, though they didn't handle as many greenbacks.

The following report of to-day's races was kindly furnished by the officient secretary and treasurer of the association, Mr. R. T. Latham:

The first race was contested by two-year olds, single dash of one mile—Barnum, ch. c. by Lexington, out of Lida Rose, entered b. f. Rosa Underwood, by Dan Underwood. dam by Monarch; entered b. c. Barnum, by W. B. Dunn, of Garrard, entered blk. c. Midnight, by Membrino Whalebone, dam by Membrino Diamond; entered b. c. Coleman, of Mercer, entered b. g. Forrest, by Sumpter Denmark, dam by Ned Forrest.

Tip Brace, of Boyle, enters Bill Arp (pedigree unknown). dr.

Time, 3:29.

Second race, for three-year old stallions, mile heats, entered for three, to wit:

R. E. Coleman, of Mercer, enters True & Caldwell's br. s. Ned True, by Membrino Cornelius, out of Capt. Wade.

A. C. Passmore, of Mercer, enters b. s. Stoddard Johnson, by Blood Chief, dam by Ned Forrest.

Cook & Davis enter ch. s. Bacon Moore, by Indian Chief, dam by Gray's Mountain Chief. dis.

Time, 3:06.

Third race, for four-year olds, horse, mare or gelding, two best in three, in harness:

W. B. Dunn, of Garrard, enters g. g. Rush Rabin, by Gaines dam by Vermont Blackhawk.

R. E. Coleman, enters blk. s. Morrison, by St. Clair, dam by Pilot, Junior.

SUMMARY.

W. B. Dunn enters b. g. Rush Rabin . . . 1 2 2
R. E. Coleman enters blk. s. Morrison . . . 2 1 1
H. Brewer enters b. f. Maggie Lee . . . dis.
Time, 2:39, 2:42, 2:37.

To-morrow will be the best and last day, as there are a large number of entries for several races, which are to be made by agent. I remain, yours truly, IZARD.

COOL WINDS.

A Pretty Little Watering Place Away Up in Canada.

[Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

ST. CATHERINE'S, ONTARIO, CANADA, July 17, 1871.

Having been wandering for seven weeks in search of *the resort par excellence*, I fancy I have at length reached the object of my search.

I left New York at 7 P. M., sweltering from four days of insupportable heat, and on the next day at 3 o'clock P. M., twelve miles from the falls of Niagara, I heard the cool winds whistle as they are wont to do with us at home in October. I am at the Stephenson House, kept by Colonel Beverley Tucker, of Virginia, and to say that it is tastefully and commodiously furnished, provided and kept, were doing the Catholic work of supererogation. To say to you that I sleep under three blankets for six days at $2 50 per diem, drive buggy to falls, twelve miles over the finest scenery in America, for $2 50, drive to Sunset, on Lake Ontario, three miles, $1, go across the lake to Toronto, $2 50, and breathe the air and drink the waters and meet the guests here at $2 50 per diem than "rule supreme in Saratoga," "people from all the States" and Cuba: Go not to Long Branch, Saratoga or Newport, but come hither, where you shall find three large and commodious hotels, the finest cuisine than any in America, and the most salubrious atmosphere, the most delightful society, the most enchanting scenery and the most invigorating influences. The mineral on Lake Ontario last evening was worth the trip.

The celebrated Dr. Mach is permanent physician here, if perhaps were well to give a rude outline of the medicinal properties of the waters (in the crude). They resemble the most celebrated spas of Germany, being drawn from an inexhaustible well of six hundred feet of depth. Their specific properties are "offsets" to paralysis, rheumatism, gout, neuralgia, obstructions to liver and spleen, etc., etc. (The cool wind blowing *from the east* whilst I write, woos me away.) "STUART."

POLITICAL.

Mr. J. S. Taylor was unanimously nominated by the Democracy of Ohio county for the Legislature, on Monday last.

J. G. Ford, Esq., of the Owensboro Shield, has withdrawn from the canvass as a candidate for the Legislature in Daviess county.

The Mt. Sterling Sentinel says: "That festive old cadet-ship peddler, J. S. Goldsby, inflicts three mortal columns of communication in denunciation for the 'new departure' upon the Franklin Sentinel. This is as it should be. Now let Brother Whittemore speak."

All of the Democratic candidates for the Legislature in Anderson county have withdrawn, except one, Mr. Wm. F. Bond, one of the most popular and substantial gentlemen in the county, has been nominated—all the contesting candidates withdrawing in his favor.

Be noble, and the nobleness that lives in other men, sleeping but never dead, will rise in majesty to meet your own.

HARLAN IN HART.

A Munfordville Man's Impression of the World-Renowned Governor.

[Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

MUNFORDVILLE, KY., July 20, 1871.

To-day came Gen. John M. Harlan, "the rose and expectancy of the age," to enlighten the people of Hart county upon the school tax, State finances, &c., &c. Owing partly to the fact that the Methodist Conference is now in session here, there was a respectable number of people in town. We were gratified to see upon the streets Gen. Joseph H. Lewis, who came at the request of his Democratic friends, to meet Gen. Harlan at this point.

We regret to say, however, that Gen. Harlan very ungeneously refused to divide the time with him, and the result was that Gen. Lewis did not speak. In common with many others, we hope he will yet come and speak at this place before the election.

We regret, also, that we did not hear from Gen. Harlan such gorgeous and glittering displays of dazzling oratory, or such beautiful and brilliant effusions of rhetorical eloquence as by the constant praises and trumpetings of the Radical press we had been led to expect.

We have a few other regrets to offer in a spirit "more of sorrow than of anger."

While it is customary for candidates for office to take considerable liberty in telling anecdotes, it is to be regretted that Gen. Harlan, or any other aspirant, going through the land in search of the honorable office of Governor of this Commonwealth, should shock the ears of decency by descending to actual vulgarity, as we think in this course has been reprobated by the Radical press.

While it is true that negro testimony should be admitted in our State courts, not only as a matter of justice to the negro, but also as a matter of justice to the white man, whose rights the negro's evidence will assist to establish, whose interests are jeopardized by the exclusion of that evidence, it is to be regretted that Gen. Harlan would represent the delay of the Legislature in admitting their testimony by legal enactment, as a criminal intention upon part of the Democratic masses, to endanger the life, liberty and property of the negro population, and to be a willfully corrupt and unlimited license to depredators and Ku-klux bands, to maltreat, kill and destroy them.

While it is true that some outrages have been committed within the bounds of this State, and some degree of lawlessness may have in some sections prevailed as the unhappy consequence of a long and bloody civil war; and while it is also true that no State or Government in the known world has ever, in peace or war, been able to accomplish the suppression of all crime and the prevention of all disorder, it is to be regretted that Gen. Harlan should magnify the petty disturbances in our State into evidences of a well-established effort of the honorable men composing the Democratic party of the State to prevent the execution of the laws and the administration of justice, by Ku-klux organizations, &c. While it is true that the Confederate soldiers and the men of Southern principles believed in the doctrine of State rights, in common with the Union men of 1861, and the Third-party men of a later date are now to be found in the Democratic ranks, striving to perpetuate and give evidence of the complicated constitutional liberty we now have left, it is to be regretted that Gen. Harlan, or any other man in any position of honor, would attempt to make any Kentucky audience, whether Democrats or Republicans or negroes, believe that the State and give stability to the remnant of constitutional liberty we now have left, it is to be regretted that any free-born American man in any position of honor, would attempt to make any Kentucky audience, whether Democrats, Republicans or negroes, believe that the Democratic party of Kentucky, in the organization of the secession element of 1861, trying in a new form to destroy the Government and ruin the country, by advocating and defending the doctrine of State rights and union of the country, and establishing the Southern Confederacy. Construing Gen. Harlan to have done all this, and feeling that it is his duty in the present political campaign, regardless of demarkation between statesmanship and demagogism, we say these things are to be regretted. But, nevertheless, we have some cause to be thankful.

While the efforts of Gen. Harlan and other Radical speakers have been, in order to secure their party success, to revive the bitterness of the late war, in all its malignity, and while their efforts have been further directed to the purpose of blinding the people to the real and patriotic government that threaten us from the hands of them and their co-workers, the eyes of the Democratic people are open to the deceptive and dangerous game, and are not expected to be entrapped, and, notwithstanding the gigantic efforts made to disrupt us, the Democracy of Kentucky, as a mass, stand united in the opposition to the radical and all its odious features, and Hart county is no exception to the rule. And for this we are truly thankful.

In short, General Harlan came with a great flourish of trumpets, and went away without doing much good or harm. He, like "the King of France with ten thousand men marching up a hill, and then marched down again," and "there was nobody hurt," for which we also truly thankful. KENTUCKIAN.

Crops and Politics in Ohio County.

[Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

HARTFORD, OHIO CO., KY., July 18.

Not having seen any report of the condition of the crops, &c., in this part of the country, I thought it would not be amiss to let the many readers of your excellent paper know what we are doing in obscure Ohio.

The corn crop was never known to look more promising at this season of the year.

Wheat was not good. I don't think that the present crop will yield more than a half crop, if that much.

Oats are very good.

Tobacco is, in this part of the country, almost a thing of the past. I think the farmers will have a full average tobacco crop for their home consumption from some other locality.

We have had very seasonable weather in this part of the country, but very dry in others. Had very little storm of the kind from the 16th, said to have been the hardest rain that has fallen here for sixteen years. And again to be remembered, that at about 4 o'clock, had another hard rain with wind, doing much damage to the crops.

The Democrats are using every means in their power to gain a victory over the Radicals at the coming election. Their opponents in the canvass are using every means practicable to gain the ascendancy. But I am willing to say that (as it ought to) But say say that your able paper has a large circulation in our county and is still gaining ground. Though allowed to visit it a month or two from the office, we don't often miss getting your paper once a week.

H. C. T.

LEXINGTON.

The Record of a Famous Horse.

[From the Turf, Field and Farm.]

As there has been some discussion of late as to the turf deeds of Lexington, we give at the request of numerous writers, a brief summary of his performances, in order that those who grope in the darkness may march into the light. He was foaled May 23, 1853, at Lexington, Ky., in the race for the Association stake, for three-year olds, 30 subscribers, $100 each, $50 forfeit, play or pay, added, with a gold plate worth $100. The race was mile heats, and twelve came to the post. Lexington was then owned by Mr. P. Warfield, and he ran under the name of Darley. There was a false start for the first heat, Lexington, Madonna and Garrett Davis running two miles and three-quarters before they could be taken up. Mr. Warfield's colt in the lead. With the consent of the judges Garrett Davis was then withdrawn, leaving a field of eleven. Lexington won the race in two straight heats, Wild Irishman, by imp. Glencoe, dam Mary Morris, finishing second in each heat. In the second heat all were distanced but Wild Irishman that came in out fifty Fanny Fern, by imp. Glencoe, dam Cub by Medoc. The track was very heavy, rain falling, therefore the time is slow—3:32½, 3:37. Lexington's next appearance on the turf was in the contest for Citizens' Purse, for three-year-olds, two-mile heats, May 27, 1858, at Lexington. There were but seventeen entries started and the bay son of Boston and Alice Carneal lost the first heat, John Harper's chestnut filly Medway, by Revenue, ridden by Mingo, winning him. He finished second, however, and won the next two heats and the race. Time, 3:42½, 3:41½, 3:49. On the Metairie Course, New Orleans, Dec. 2, 1858, Lexington made his first appearance under his present name. He ran a match race against Sally Waters, 4 years old, three-mile heats, winning the first heat in 6:28¼, and leading the mare in the second heat, in 6:24¼. The track was heavy. In the three-year-old stakes, on the Metairie Course, N. Orleans, April 7, 1854, two-mile heats, Lexington paid forfeit to Conrad, The Corsair, Argent and Hornpipe. On the 1st of April, 1854, he started on the Metairie Course for the great stake and purse, $2,000, for four-mile heats. He won two straight heats, Lecomte finishing second in each. Time, 8:08¾, 8:08 track heavy. On the 8th of April 1854, Lexington, Lecomte and Reube started for the Metairie Jockey Club Purse, $2,000, four-mile heats, for all ages. Lecomte won the first heat, Lexington the second. Time 7:26, 7:38¾. Being unsuccessful in the effort to match Lexington against any horse in America, Mr. Ten Broeck proposed to run Lexington time after time against the four-mile heats. He won two straight heats, Lecomte finishing second in each. Time, 8:08¾, 8:08 track heavy. On the 8th of April 1854, Lexington, Lecomte and Reube started for the Metairie Jockey Club.

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MONDAY MORNING, JULY 24, 71.

To Absentees.

Persons leaving the city during the summer, and who wish to keep posted with the news here, can have the COURIER-JOURNAL sent them any required time at the rate of $1 per month, by leaving their orders at our counting-room.

Gov. P. H. Leslie,

Democratic candidate for Governor, will address his fellow-citizens as follows:

Mayfield, Monday, July 24.
Murray, Tuesday, July 25.
Benton, Wednesday, July 26.
Smithland, Thursday, July 27.
Princeton, Friday, July 28.
Cadiz, Saturday, July 29.
Greenville, Monday, July 31.
Calhoun, Tuesday, August 1.
Hartford, Wednesday, August 2.
Morgantown, Thursday, August 3.
Litchfield, Friday, August 4.
Elizabethtown, Saturday, August 5.

Gov. Thos. E. Bramlette

will address the people at the following times and places:

Albany, Monday, July 24.
Jamestown, Wednesday, July 26.
Columbia, Thursday, July 27.
Greensburg, Friday, July 28.
Campbellsville, Saturday, July 29.
Hodgenville, Monday, July 31.
Elizabethtown, Tuesday, August 1.

Hon. John M. Harlan,

Republican candidate for Governor, will fill t following appointments:

Hopkinsville, Christian county, Monda July 24.
Greenville, Muhlenburg county, Tuesda July 25.
Calhoun, McLean county, Wednesday, July
Hartford, Ohio county, Thursday, July 27.
Morgantown, Butler county, Friday, July 28.
Litchfield, Grayson county, Saturday, July
Spadra, Hardin county, [illegible]
Governor Leslie, Democratic candidate f Governor, is invited to attend.

General Harlan will also address his fellow-c izens as

Hudsonville, Saturday, July 29, at 7 P. M.
Hardinsburg, Monday, July 31, at 1 P. M.
Cloverport, Monday, July 31, at 7 P. M.

Hon. John G. Carlisle,

Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governo will address his fellow-citizens at the follow places:

Georgetown, Monday, July 24.
Frankfort, Tuesday, July 25.
Greenton, Wednesday, July 26.
Williamstown, Thursday, July 27.
Walton, Friday, July 28.
Warsaw, Tuesday, August 1.
Carrollton, Wednesday, August 2.

At Louisville on the nights of the 3d, 4th, and 5th days of August at such points as may be designated.

Speaking elsewhere to commence at 1½ o'clock p. m.

Hon. Geo. M. Thomas, Republican candidate, is invited to attend.

Messrs. Rodman's and Brown's Appointment.

Inasmuch as many of the appointments of Messrs. Leslie and Harlan and Thomas and Carlisle conflict with ours, we are compelled to revoke them and make the following:

Richmond, Monday, July 24th.
Winchester, Tuesday, July 25th.
Carlisle, Wednesday, July 26th.
Paris, Thursday, July 27th.
Lexington, Friday, July 28th.
Versailles, Saturday, July 29th.

At Georgetown, Newport, Frankfort, and Lexington at night; at all other places at 2 o'clock p. m.

JOHN RODMAN.
WM. BROWN.

Public Speaking.

HON. ALEX. L. MARTIN, Democratic candidate for Senate from the Thirty-third Senatorial District, will speak at the following times and places:

Piketon, July 24th.
Mount Pond, July 26th.
Pharmer Leahey's, July 27th.
Hall's Gap, July 28th.
Mouth Beaver, July 29th.

Was it a Hazardous Investment?

About the end of last week, as an eminent doctor of divinity and a celebrated physician, both of this city, were engaged in pleasant conversation on Fourth street, at the corner of Green, they were approached by a little boy, who, after narrowly scanning the features of the men, asked them for a loan of some money as he wished to enter into business. The boy was not over ten years of age. His pinched appearance, though honest, was shaded by a slight cast of anxiety as he submitted his plan. He said he wished to get ten cents with which to purchase newspapers. The papers he intended to sell again, and thus endeavor to earn some money. The psychological and the physiological combination of the case must have been satisfactory to the clergyman and physician; for the amount was doubled. The boy wished them distinctly to understand that it was a loan; the men told him that they expected the money to be repaid, but they advised him not to do so until he could work it out of the profits of the business. Both gentlemen are now anxiously awaiting the result of the investment.

Teachers' Institutes.

We are again requested to inform all parties interested that institutes will be held at the following times and places:

Hartford, Ohio county, July 24 to 29.
Hopkinsville, Christian county, July 31 to August 5.
Lagrange, Oldham county, July 31 to August 5.
Paris, State Teachers' Association, August 8 to 12.
Bowling Green, Warren county, August 14 to 19.
Lebanon, Marion county, August 21 to 26.
Monticello, Wayne county, August 21 to 26.
Falmouth, Pendleton county, August 28 to September 2.
London, Laurel county, September 4 to 9.
Catlettsburg, Boyd county, September 18 to 23.
Paducah, McCracken county, September 25 to 30.

Arrangements have been made with all of the railroad lines in the State to furnish half-fare tickets to all teachers who may desire to attend these institutes. Tickets will be found on sale at all the principal stations.

Rescue from Drowning.

Yesterday evening, about half past 3 o'clock, Officer H. B. Browning was walking slowly down towards the Island Chute. As he approached he noticed two lads bathing in the river, near the bank. The boys must have seen him, and knowing that it is forbidden to bathe there they instantly left the water. One of the boys, taking his clothes in his arms, scampered off. The other boy stayed to put on his shirt, and then jumped into the water. The place he jumped into was, however, beyond his depth, and, as he was unable to swim, he immediately sank. Mr. Browning, partially divesting himself of his clothing, hastened to rescue the boy. Before the officer reached him he sank twice, and he was consequently much exhausted when the officer brought him to land. A number of boys then crowded around the place, and the officer instructed them to take the boy to his home. All the boy's clothes were lost in the river.

Death of Dr. Hall.

Dr. S. N. Hall, long a highly respected resident and eminent physician of this city, died yesterday afternoon at half-past three o'clock. For the last fifteen years he has not enjoyed robust health; but during this long period he was most assiduous in discharging the duties of his profession, and bore with Christian fortitude his acute sufferings. For eight weeks preceding his death he was confined to bed. Dr. Hall was born in Bourbon county, and was educated at Cynthiana, in Harrison county. He graduated at the Louisville University under Professors Flint and Gross. As a physician, his practice was at one time most extensive, and his advice in difficult cases was eagerly sought after He leaves a wife and two children—a boy and a girl. The poor of this city will mourn his loss as a kind friend and a faithful physician. His remains will be buried from 221 East Jefferson street this afternoon, at four o'clock.

An Exciting Chase.

A fight took place last night on Lafayette street between Henry Frank and Charles Sowders. Officers Stratton and Leshaff arrested them. As Officer Leshaff was bringing his prisoner through Brook street he broke away from him, and ran along Brook and down Jefferson street. Mr. Leshaff followed and recaptured him, after a most exciting chase, near First street. Though the officer repeatedly called upon citizens to stop the runaway, none appeared willing to do so. On the contrary, while many stepped aside to allow the prisoner to pass the pursued, the pursuer was frequently impeded by persons standing in his way as if by accident. Both were almost exhausted when they reached First street station-house. Officer Stratton had his prisoner bound to his wrist, and took him to the same station-house without any trouble.

Midnight Work.

Some drunken vagabonds committed a most contemptible outrage in the West End night before last. They went to Dr. T. J. Griffiths' house and completely demolished the beautiful fountain in the front yard. The plants growing around it were torn up and thrown into the water, and the roots from the mound were pulled from their places. This, however, did not satisfy their malicious spirit; they went to his office, tore down his sign, broke the lamp shade, and perpetrated other most revolting acts about the premises. Dr. G. himself was quite sick at the time, and, though he heard them at the front door, could not go to see what was the matter. Other houses were visited in the same neighborhood, at one of which two large magnolias were turned over and broken to pieces. Dr. Griffiths offers $100 for the arrest and conviction of these midnight prowlers.

Death of the Wife of a Prominent Citizen.

Yesterday morning at a quarter-past six o'clock Mrs. Margaret Tomppert, wife of Mr. Phil. Tomppert, Sr., ex-Mayor of this city, died after an illness of about thirteen days. Deceased was born on July 30, 1810. The funeral will take place from Mr. Tomppert's residence, 191 Jackson street, between Main and Market streets, at half-past nine o'clock this morning. All friends of the family are invited to be present.

Picnic.

The St. Patrick Benevolent Society will hold a picnic at Woodland Garden to-day. In addition to the usual attractions of such occasions, there will be music given by a performer on the bagpipes, who has lately arrived from Ireland. The proceedings will commence at 9 o'clock in the morning, and will conclude about midnight.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

JOHN MCGRADY took too much liquor yesterday, and was led by Officers Eale and Deering to First-street station-house.

OFFICER WISE brought Con. Sullivan and Pat. Hawkins, who were indulging in a little fight, to First-street station last night.

CHARLES STEWART, charged with stealing paint and other articles from the Howard House, was under arrest last night at First-street station.

THOMAS MILLER and William Anderson, both negroes, were arrested yesterday for disorderly conduct while playing cards. Officer Corcoran brought them to First-street station.

GEORGE HIGH had what little wits he has at the best highly disorganized by liquor at the Woodland Garden yesterday. Officer Threkeld arrested him and conducted him to Clay-street station.

IN THE CITY COURT report of Saturday morning Mr. Robert Schutter was said to have been held in bail of $100 to keep the peace for one year. It should have been that Mr. Schutter had sworn out a peace warrant against Lewis Schuer.

THE vicinity of Preston street yesterday was promenaded by an unusually large number of intoxicated individuals, but, as they gave rise to no disturbance, and appeared to be able to make their homes, the police did not arrest many of them.

LADY HENRY Peter Trabue, colored, in attempting to get on a Jefferson-street car, between Sixth and Seventh, lost his balance and fell in front of the car, the front wheel passing over his arm, bruising the flesh from the arm-pit to the wrist in a very ugly manner, but, singularly enough, not breaking the bone.

A LARGE flock of geese roam at large in the vicinity of Ninth street and Broadway, and are productive of great annoyance to people living in that neighborhood. They defile the sidewalks, door-steps, &c., and it is hoped by the sufferers thereby that the police, if not the owners, will take steps to prevent the nuisance.

AT HALF-PAST 6 o'clock yesterday evening two Celts, Dennis O'Connell and Thomas O'Sheahan, set upon one Trenton, Chris. Herback, on Main street, between Shelby and Campbell streets. Thomas grasped Chris., and Dennis came forward to knock Chris. down with a brick. The three were lodged in Clay-street station by Officer Lehman.

THE Horticultural Society's committee on premiums to be awarded at the grand exhibition to come off next September, reported as follows: Five hundred dollars were allowed for flowers, five hundred dollars for fruits, and three hundred and seventy dollars for vegetables. A typographical error occurring in yesterday's paper misrepresented the amounts.

WE have been shown a specimen of iron ore dug in Switzerland county, Indiana, about three miles from Carrollton, Kentucky, and immediately on the Ohio river. A land slide has exposed the ore in considerable quantities, and the indications are said to be that the deposit is from five to eight feet thick, and is near the surface. Lead ore is also found in the same neighborhood.

THE EPISCOPALIAN announces that the Evangelicals have prepared a new prayer-book, with such changes as suit the views of the Evangelical party in the Episcopal Church. Many believe that when this new Evangelical Council, which meets in October, acceed to the demands of the radical wing of the Evangelical party, they will secede from the church, and the new prayer-book will then be ready for them.

A BREWING RAILROAD WAR.

Trouble Between Employes of the Nashville Road and Discharged Men at Bowling Green—and More Serious Difficulty Probable.

We learn from a gentleman who came to the city yesterday from Bowling Green that there had been serious trouble in the latter town between employes of the railroad and discharged men. It appears that on Saturday the L., M. & N. R. R. Company made proposals to their engineers and firemen running from Bowling Green to sign written contracts not to hold the company liable for any accident that might occur to them in the discharge of the duties appertaining to the road. This proposal was rejected. The company then discharged such as refused, and hired other men who were willing to work on the terms proposed.

On Saturday the discharged employes, according to this gentleman's statement, induced those engaged by the company in their place to quit work by threats or misrepresentations, to leave their work, and trains were delayed in several instances. There was great excitement among railroad men in Bowling Green when he left, and it was feared that further trouble might result.

A reporter of the COURIER-JOURNAL last night called at the Nashville depot to learn further as to the matter, and elicited some facts different from those stated above. Only four men, all brakemen, had left the employ of the company, which was delayed only so long as to wake up another force to take their places. These men had already signed the contract and afterwards made up their minds to quit work, which they did. The company had been accustomed for sometime to require employes to enter into a contract in writing, and have this understanding printed on their time-cards. That a great deal of excitement exists just now in regard to the matter, was not denied, and although trouble was not anticipated, it very probably might occur.

From conversation with railroad men in this city it appears that there does exist a great deal of interest, if not excitement, in regard to this contract, and it is stated that many of the men employed will refuse either to sign the contract or abide by it in future. Some interesting developments will doubtless result, and in the meantime we publish the statements as above in regard to the trouble at Bowling Green.

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

A Man Fallsout of a Third Story Window While Asleep and is Probably Fatally Injured.

Mr. Isaac B. Moyer met with a singular and probably fatal accident yesterday morning. For several months past he has been boarding at the Globe Hotel, on Broadway, near Ninth street. On Saturday evening, late, he, in company with several others, was sitting in the basement story, conversing about social and business affairs. Very little drinking was indulged in by any of them. About 1 o'clock the party dispersed, Mr. Moyer going to his room on the third floor. It was centrally located, and without windows. Another gentleman occupied a rear room which had two windows overlooking the back country. After sleeping an hour or two, Mr. Moyer was waked up by cries and groans proceeding from the rear room. He arose and went to see what was the matter. When he entered the room the man had just recovered from a spell of unconsciousness, and was groaning with pain. Upon examination it was found that he had fallen from the window, a distance of twenty-six feet, and struck upon the back of his head. He was taken to the City Hospital, where he now lies in a very critical condition. Dr. Yandell, who was in attendance, stated that the man's skull was fractured at the base of the brain, and that he could not say whether he would live or die. He was not expected to live through the night. The man's name is Henry Hyatt, and he is from Louisville, Ky. He was employed by Mr. Arterburn, John C. Rudy, and Mr. Watkins, in the capacity of carpenter. J. B. Parks recording secretary for the association.

The single mowers competed the first day. The following were the entries:

Wiard, McGee & Co., Louisville, two machines, Buckeye, Sr., and Buckeye, Jr., both manufactured at the Lafayette (Ind.) Agricultural Works; price of the senior, $130; junior, $115; length of cutter-bar, junior 4 feet, senior 4 feet 6 inches.

Lewis, Gage & Co., Louisville, Buckeye State; manufactured at the Lafayette (Ohio) Agricultural Works; price, $130; length of cutter-bar, 4 feet 6 inches.

S. W. Pope, Louisville, Louisville mower; manufactured by the Louisville Agricultural Works, Louisville, Ky.; length of cutter-bar, 4 feet; price, $130.

S. P. Wallace, Louisville, World; manufactured by E. Ball & Co., Canton, Ohio; cutter-bar, 4 feet 6 inches; price, $150.

Hays & Bell, Louisville, Kirby; manufactured by D. M. Osborne, Auburn, N. Y.; cutter-bar, 4 feet 3 inches; price, $115.

Each machine was examined separately, each being represented by the manufacturer or agent, all the points, improvements, &c., given in detail. No one but the manufacturer or agent was allowed to be present with the judges during the examination. Each machine was also thoroughly examined when no one was present but the judges. Trial was in accordance with rule No. 6, as published in the rules and regulations of the fourteenth annual programme of the Louisville and Jefferson County Agricultural and Mechanical Association.

The ground selected was very uneven, the clover very heavy and tangled. After giving each machine a seperate test by cutting two acres each (all finished cutting their lands about the same time, except the "Kirby," which met with a slight accident,) the committee had the different lands raked cross-wise, where they could see each cutting more plainly, and had a fair chance to compare the work done by each machine. They then had all the machines placed in the same order that they drew by lot. Each machine following one another in cutting eight acres, where again each could be compared with one another.

The following rules were adopted as suggested by the President of the association, viz: First—Durability. Second—The least complicated in general make up. Third—To draw light, consideration the cost of each. Fourth—Best for general use and material used in making each machine.

Your committee endeavored to give each and all a fair trial; all done very fair except the "Buckeye" broke, by striking a stone, the point off one of its knives, but it did not stop its cutting, only making it perceptive any difference in the cutting after it was done.

The same machines, except Lewis, Gage & Co., were entered July 8th for the premium for the best combined reaping and mowing and single reaper. Each was given another trial as a mower in the forenoon, and in the afternoon they were tested as reapers. Each machine done as good work as formerly, and also all were placed upon the same land in order to compare them side by side. The committee voted by ballot, according to rule 8 in the programme of the association; also separately, according to rule 9.

The following machines having received a unanimous vote, were declared entitled to receive the premium:

For the best reaper and mower combined, premium $50—awarded to Wiard, McGee & Co., Louisville; Buckeye, Sr.

Best single mower, premium $35—Wiard, McGee & Co.; Buckeye, Jr.

Best single reaper, premium $35—Hays & Bell, Louisville, agents; the Kirby.

Entries and machines competing for combined reapers and mowers:

Buckeye, Sr.	$135 00
Buckeye Senior	175 00
World	200 00
Louisville	190 00
Kirby	175 00

I. L. HYATT, President.
J. B. PARKS, Recording Secretar.

SCIENCE VS. THE FINANCES.

An Indignant Citizen on the Action of the City Council.

[To the Editor of the Courier-Journal:]

Our most august city fathers listened to a message from the Mayor on Thursday night respecting an invitation that he desired should be tendered the members of the American Association for the Advancement of Science that is to meet in Indianapolis in the month of August.

This profound body listened to the message with some attention, wondering what in the world his Highness, the Mayor, could mean, inviting a scientific association to Louisville (another distinct town to the Constitution). They could not stand it.

However, the Clerk was asked to read the message over again, which he did, with effect, except an enlarging of the ears of our "reverend seigniors." At this moment Darwin would certainly have demonstrated beyond a doubt even to the most sceptical that his theory of progressive development was rightly based, judging from the physiognomy of this illustrious body.

After the second reading the gentlemen of the Council actually did not know what to make of it. An old portly gentleman, supposed to be well versed in porkology (a very scientific study, by the way, in Louisville), made a motion to refer it to the Finance Committee. "I understand the whole thing," he says; "it's a negro question." He commenced to expatiate on the financial affairs of the city, heavy taxes, no money in the treasury, &c. He was just warming up on the subject, when the President of the Council asked him to *retire*, he being out of order. He took his seat very crest-fallen.

Mr. McCulloch, a scientific gentleman from the country, made a motion to lay the Mayor's message on the table. Good for McCulloch.

Mr. German, the only member who appeared to understand the situation and importance of the message, and the necessity of giving a reception to such a distinguished body of learned men, moved that the Mayor be authorized to appoint a special committee appointed to confer with the scientific men of the city, and make arrangements for giving the distinguished visitors a reception worthy of the city of Louisville. This motion appeared to be appreciated by the most intelligent members of the Council, but an evil genius got up and moved an amendment that the city would not be required to foot the bill—Louisville hospitality inviting a party to dinner, and afterwards handing them the bill of fare. Mr. Kaye, the *bell* man, has the honor of moving this amendment; he rung his bell; it's money you want; the other members played their chimes, and the death knell was tolled of the visit of the American Association of Science to Louisville.

New Albany and many other cities of Indiana will honor the visitors as they ought to be honored—men who are the leaders of science in all its branches; in fact, the very propellers of commerce, such men as Huxley, Owen, Gray, Agassis, Mehan, Sherry, Hunt and others, who have devoted their whole lifetime to study. Very probably some great scientific truth will be revealed to the world at this meeting, and who knows but in our midst. The City Council cannot see it. If it had been a deputation from the Cincinnati Council to see a private exhibition of their own fire engines it would have been a glorious xpree, but a meeting to pay a visit of the land gratis, is a cold shoulder. Surely the time will come when scientific studies will be appreciated in Louisville; if not, good Lord deliver us.

A. CITIZEN.

A Nut to Crack.

The following poetical enigma was found written upon a sheet of paper picked up on Fourth street yesterday. It is published for the benefit of those fond of such things:

A word of letters seven am I,
Although two words in me are found,
And different things I signify,
As you shall give me different sound.

If me a single word you take,
Nowhere you'll find me, though you vary
Search through earth, o'er sea and lake,
And finish with the dictionary.

Our language's laws, how odd at best!
When skilfully you me divide—
A moment since nowhere at rest,
I'm now here, by your side.

RUIN AND DEATH.

Suicide of Colonel Henry Barns, the Founder of the Detroit Tribune.

A SAD STORY.

[From the Detroit Advertiser and Tribune, July 22.

About 11 o'clock yesterday forenoon Col. Henry Barns, one of the most widely-known citizens of Detroit, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head with a revolver, in the grove of John P. Clark, on the River road, a short distance below the west line of the grounds of Fort Wayne. He left his home on Miami avenue quite early in the morning, and proceeded leisurely down the River road, stopping at one or two places as he reached familiar houses, and on the bridge at Jones' ship-yard he was seen by Mr. John P. Clark, who was driving up, standing with his back to the river and looking toward the ship-yard. Passing on still further, he stopped at a grocery on the corner of the River road and Military avenue, and talked with the proprietor some little time, and took a glass of liquor. That was the last that was seen of him alive, so far as can be learned.

At the northeast corner of Clark's land, the side farthest from the river, stands a white cottage, where a German named Johann Baumann lives. During the forenoon he was away at work, and his wife alone was at home, the little son being absent at school. Shortly after 11 o'clock, as Mrs. Baumann says, she heard two quickly succeeding shots in the grove, just west of the house. She took no special notice of them, as sportsmen often discharge their guns there, and she supposed the firing proceeded from some such cause. No further notice was taken of the matter for some little time, until the boy had returned from school, when the mother, going to the door, saw a man lying on the ground in the grove, not more than 20 feet from their line fence. Seeing some hogs rooting about close to where the body was lying, Mrs. Baumann sent the lad over to find out the cause of his being so still, and the little fellow soon returned in a panic, saying that the ground was all blood, and that the man was dead. Two soldiers from Fort Wayne happened to be passing just then, and the woman called them to examine the man, whom they found indeed quite dead. One of them immediately started fo. Coroner Ludlow, who resides about half a mile below the place where the tragedy occurred. He quickly hastened to the scene, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Phillips, and both being well acquainted with Col. Henry Barns, saw at once that he was the unfortunate suicide.

He lay at the foot of two small trees, growing close together, some 60 feet from the roadway. He had evidently sat down upon the ground at the foot of the trees, facing towards the east, in the direction of the city, and when he fell his head rested in a little hollow at the base of the trees, his limbs were extended to the east and one arm, the right, with which the pistol was fired, had dropped down at the side of the body and was extended toward the river, while the other rested upon the body. A bullet wound was found in the upper part of the head over the left ear from which must have produced instantaneous death. The pistol, a Smith & Wesson seven-shooter, lay a little distance from the right hand, where it had fallen upon the ground. His hat was standing a short distance from the body, where it had evidently been carefully placed by the hand of the deceased. He was nicely dressed in black clothes, with clean shirt, collar, etc., and in the scrupulous regard to appearances that is a strong evidence that the suicide had carefully premeditated before he left the house in the morning. The surface of the little hollow was all covered with blood, and the grass and shrubs standing close to where the head lay were wet with the blood for hours afterwards. The eyes were open, the mouth a little distended, but the face wore a calm, peaceful expression, and the limbs lay easily stretched out, and not in the least convulsed or rigid. The ball, one should judge from the mortal wound in the head, would have supposed that he had come to a violent death. A fragment of the Tribune was found lying near the body, of the edition of July 14, and there are some circumstances which seem to indicate that the pistol was wrapped in this piece of paper, and in that form carried in his pocket.

A conveyance was soon procured by the Coroner, and the body was carried to his residence below, where he also has an office. An inquest was impaneled, and information of the sad occurrence was sent to Detroit, to his brother, John Barns, and to his afflicted family. The body was examined before the jury, and it was found that there was a single fatal wound in the head, so that there is some reason to believe that Mrs. Baumann may have been mistaken as to hearing two shots fired. Perhaps what she supposed to be the second was but the echo of the first, struck out by the surrounding trees. Perhaps he fired the pistol once as a test of its accuracy and force before discharging the bullet into his head. However, no medical examination was made at the inquest, which would have developed more fully the character of the wound.

Hardly anything was found upon his person, except an envelope, without any direction upon it, and with half a sheet of blank writing-paper folded up in it. It is believed that this envelope and paper were purchased on the previous day, and the design of Col. Barns probably was to write a note before he killed himself, and in it express his reasons for the deed. From some cause, which can only be conjectured, he abandoned this idea, if he had ever considered it. It was found, on examining the pistol, that only four chambers remained loaded, three cartridges having been discharged.

The jury, after an inspection of the body and hearing the evidence of the persons who had found it, rendered a verdict that the deceased came to his death by his own hand. Meanwhile Mr. John A. Barns and the elder sons of the dead man had arrived from the Ludlow's, and with them the undertakers with a receiving box, in which the body was placed and conveyed to the residence on Miami avenue. The intelligence of the suicide created a profound sensation, both in Springwells and Detroit. In the former town Col. Barns was almost as well known as here, and the surprise and sorrow expressed was universal. The news reached Detroit at a little after 2 o'clock and spread rapidly along the street, being the more startling from as the unfortunate man had been seen by many persons in the morning as he walked through the city. The mistake generally made is to throw open windows at all hours of the day, no matter whether the atmosphere outside be cool or exhilirating.

"Let in the pure air, they say, and in comes the treacherous breeze—for even hot air is pleasant while it is gently blowing, taking away perspiration and thereby cooling the skin; but this apartment is made warmer; in spite of the draught they find their room to be more uncomfortable than before.

"Let in cool air—keep out heat—that is the only formula to insure the minimum of discomfort. Sitting-rooms may generally be kept cool during the whole day if the doors be closely opened for ingress and egress, and windows kept closed and shielded from direct sunshine by a blind. If the atmosphere of a room be impure from any cause, let it be renewed; the air is less injurious than bad air. If a room be small in comparison with the number of persons engaged in it, free ventilation becomes indispensable.

"In a cooking apartment the temperature will probably be higher than outside, hence the free admission even of hot air will be desirable. If persons do not object to sit in a direct draught of air, windows and door may be opened, a breeze being more refreshing, even though several degrees warmer than still air; but under nearly all other circumstances rooms should be kept closed as much as possible until after sundown, or till the air outside is cooler than that inside. Let in cool air; keep out hot."

How to Keep Cool.

A correspondent furnishes the London Times with the following hints, which will be found pertinent to our own climate:

"In these hot days a bath or refreshment is a real luxury, to be had far oftener than most people suppose possible. The secret consists not in letting in cool air, for naturally all do that whenever they open the windows, but in keeping out the hot air. If the air outside a room or house be cooler than the air inside, it is by all means; but, if it be hotter, carefully keep it out.

"A staircase window left open during the night will often cool the passages of a house, and the rooms, too, if their doors be not shut; but it must be closed at eight or nine o'clock in the morning, or, if on the sunny side, at four or five o'clock, and the blind drawn down. The mistake is generally made is to throw open windows at all hours of the day, no matter whether the atmosphere outside be cool or exhilirating.

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REAPERS AND MOWERS.

Official Report of the Late Test—The Premiums Awarded.

The following official report of the committee to test the merits and award premiums for the best reaping and mowing machines and single reapers and mowers:

The trial commenced July 7th at Mr. M. P. Hyatt's near the city of Louisville, Ky., and ended July 8th at same farm. Awarding committee, W. C. Arterburn, John C. Rudy, and J. H. Watkins; R. Ferman, marshal, and J. B. Parks recording secretary for the association.

The single mowers competed the first day. The following were the entries:

Wiard, McGee & Co., Louisville, two machines, Buckeye, Sr., and Buckeye, Jr., both manufactured at the Lafayette (Ind.) Agricultural Works; price of the senior, $130; junior, $115; length of cutter-bar, junior 4 feet, senior 4 feet 6 inches.

Lewis, Gage & Co., Louisville, Buckeye State; manufactured at the Lafayette (Ohio) Agricultural Works; price, $130; length of cutter-bar, 4 feet 6 inches.

S. W. Pope, Louisville, Louisville mower; manufactured by the Louisville Agricultural Works, Louisville, Ky.; length of cutter-bar, 4 feet; price, $130.

S. P. Wallace, Louisville, World; manufactured by E. Ball & Co., Canton, Ohio; cutter-bar, 4 feet 6 inches; price, $150.

Hays & Bell, Louisville, Kirby; manufactured by D. M. Osborne, Auburn, N. Y.; cutter-bar, 4 feet 3 inches; price, $115.

Each machine was examined separately, each being represented by the manufacturer or agent, all the points, improvements, &c., given in detail. No one but the manufacturer or agent was allowed to be present with the judges during the examination. Each machine was also thoroughly examined when no one was present but the judges. Trial was in accordance with rule No. 6, as published in the rules and regulations of the fourteenth annual programme of the Louisville and Jefferson County Agricultural and Mechanical Association.

The ground selected was very uneven, the clover very heavy and tangled. After giving each machine a seperate test by cutting two acres each (all finished cutting their lands about the same time, except the "Kirby," which met with a slight accident,) the committee had the different lands raked cross-wise, where they could see each cutting more plainly, and had a fair chance to compare the work done by each machine. They then had all the machines placed in the same order that they drew by lot. Each machine following one another in cutting eight acres, where again each could be compared with one another.

The following rules were adopted as suggested by the President of the association, viz: First—Durability. Second—The least complicated in general make up. Third—To draw light, consideration the cost of each. Fourth—Best for general use and material used in making each machine.

Your committee endeavored to give each and all a fair trial; all done very fair except The "Buckeye" broke, by striking a stone, the point off one of its knives, but it did not stop its cutting, only making it perceptive any difference in the cutting after it was done.

The same machines, except Lewis, Gage & Co., were entered July 8th for the premium for the best combined reaping and mowing and single reaper. Each was given another trial as a mower in the forenoon, and in the afternoon they were tested as reapers. Each machine done as good work as formerly, and also all were placed upon the same land in order to compare them side by side. The committee voted by ballot, according to rule 8 in the programme of the association; also separately, according to rule 9.

The following machines having received a unanimous vote, were declared entitled to receive the premium:

For the best reaper and mower combined, premium $50—awarded to Wiard, McGee & Co., Louisville; Buckeye, Sr.

Best single mower, premium $35—Wiard, McGee & Co.; Buckeye, Jr.

Best single reaper, premium $35—Hays & Bell, Louisville, agents; the Kirby.

Entries and machines competing for combined reapers and mowers:

Buckeye, Sr.	$135 00
Buckeye Senior	175 00
World	200 00
Louisville	190 00
Kirby	175 00

I. L. HYATT, President.
J. B. PARKS, Recording Secretar.

SCIENCE VS. THE FINANCES.

An Indignant Citizen on the Action of the City Council.

[To the Editor of the Courier-Journal:]

Our most august city fathers listened to a message from the Mayor on Thursday night respecting an invitation that he desired should be tendered the members of the American Association for the Advancement of Science that is to meet in Indianapolis in the month of August.

This profound body listened to the message with some attention, wondering what in the world his Highness, the Mayor, could mean, inviting a scientific association to Louisville (another distinct town to the Constitution). They could not stand it.

However, the Clerk was asked to read the message over again, which he did, with effect, except an enlarging of the ears of our "reverend seigniors." At this moment Darwin would certainly have demonstrated beyond a doubt even to the most sceptical that his theory of progressive development was rightly based, judging from the physiognomy of this illustrious body.

After the second reading the gentlemen of the Council actually did not know what to make of it. An old portly gentleman, supposed to be well versed in porkology (a very scientific study, by the way, in Louisville), made a motion to refer it to the Finance Committee. "I understand the whole thing," he says; "it's a negro question." He commenced to expatiate on the financial affairs of the city, heavy taxes, no money in the treasury, &c. He was just warming up on the subject, when the President of the Council asked him to *retire*, he being out of order. He took his seat very crest-fallen.

Mr. McCulloch, a scientific gentleman from the country, made a motion to lay the Mayor's message on the table. Good for McCulloch.

Mr. German, the only member who appeared to understand the situation and importance of the message, and the necessity of giving a reception to such a distinguished body of learned men, moved that the Mayor be authorized to appoint a special committee appointed to confer with the scientific men of the city, and make arrangements for giving the distinguished visitors a reception worthy of the city of Louisville. This motion appeared to be appreciated by the most intelligent members of the Council, but an evil genius got up and moved an amendment that the city would not be required to foot the bill—Louisville hospitality inviting a party to dinner, and afterwards handing them the bill of fare. Mr. Kaye, the *bell* man, has the honor of moving this amendment; he rung his bell; it's money you want; the other members played their chimes, and the death knell was tolled of the visit of the American Association of Science to Louisville.

New Albany and many other cities of Indiana will honor the visitors as they ought to be honored—men who are the leaders of science in all its branches; in fact, the very propellers of commerce, such men as Huxley, Owen, Gray, Agassis, Mehan, Sherry, Hunt and others, who have devoted their whole lifetime to study. Very probably some great scientific truth will be revealed to the world at this meeting, and who knows but in our midst. The City Council cannot see it. If it had been a deputation from the Cincinnati Council to see a private exhibition of their own fire engines it would have been a glorious xpree, but a meeting to pay a visit of the land gratis, is a cold shoulder. Surely the time will come when scientific studies will be appreciated in Louisville; if not, good Lord deliver us.

A. CITIZEN,

CITY FEATURES.

☞ Parties wishing to invest in real estate should attend the Marshal's sale at the Court-house door, Monday morning, July 24th, at 11 o'clock. A desirable tract of land, subdivided in 20-foot lots, fronting Levering avenue, will be sold at auction immediately after the Chancery sale. See advertisement.

Twenty-five Cents.

This amount will buy a bottle of Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup, the great soothing remedy for all diseases incident to infants and children.

Testimony of L. O. Shenault, a Prominent Merchant of Baldwin, Miss.

LOUISVILLE HOTEL, Oct., 1870.

DR. C. H. WINTERSMITH—Dear Sir: I arrived here on the 25th September, from Baldwin, Miss., quite feeble, having had continued chills for five consecutive months. During that period I made use of several remedies, but with only temporary effect. The use of only one bottle of your valuable Chill Tonic has relieved me entirely. I am now a sound, healthy man, and take great pleasure in recommending your valuable Tonic to the afflicted.

Truly your friend,
L. O. SHENAULT.

☞ The property which will be sold on Monday morning, the 24th of July, immediately after the Chancery sale, offers special inducements to buyers. It is located on Levering avenue within one square of Floral Park and convenient to the Fourth and Sixth-street railroads. Terms 6, 12, and 18 months.

Testimonial of Mr. M. Monk, Auditor of Crawford County, Indiana, a Gentleman well known in his Community. Read it:

LEAVENWORTH, INDIANA.

DR. WINTERSMITH—Dear Sir: I had been afflicted with a very severe case of tetter for several months, breaking out over my hands and face badly. I was treated for it by several physicians, but without any permanent relief. I was advised by our druggist, Mr. W. H. Kendall, to try your "Iodized Sarsaparilla and Stillingia;" that he believed it would cure me. After taking one bottle I felt and saw it was doing me a great deal of good. I continued to take it, and have now used only three bottles and am very glad to say to you I am completely cured.

Most respectfully yours, M. MONK.

I know the above statement of Mr. Monk to be true.

W. H. KENDALL,
Druggist, Leavenworth, Indiana.

☞ Hazard & Caswell's Cod Liver Oil is the purest, sweetest and best in the world. Physicians have decided it superior to any other Cod Liver Oil in the market. Patients who have once taken it can take no other.

OSORIO AND CAVADA.

Execution of Two Distinguished Soldiers of the Union Army.

"ADIOS CUBA."

The New York Times' Havana correspondent gives the particulars of the capture and execution of Admiral Osorio and Gen. Frederica Cavada, who served with distinguished gallantry in the Union army, and who were naturalized citizens of the United States. The correspondent received his information from a friend of the unfortunate men who had witnessed their execution.

He writes: Osorio had left the interior of the island some months ago in company with Bernabe Verone, alias Bembetta, the young Cuban General who lately arrived in New York, Osorio being in a miserable state of health, and a mass of sores and eruptions, from a kind of scorbourne, which he causing such terrible ravages among the insurgent Cubans, and, also, from the effects of an unhealed wound. Osorio refused to state how he had been wounded, behind the back simply announced that such had been the fact.

He was hid in the woods and cared for by some Cubans, who could not furnish him with anything beyond the bare means of subsistence, until Gen. Cavada and Kingley offered to take him to Nassau or any other secure place, a boat being in readiness for the latter gentleman and another, supposed to have been Mr. Francisco Aguilera, ex-Vice President of the republic. Everything went well. They were met by a party of Spanish troops, and reached Cayo Cruse in safety, embarking immediately in a two-oared boat, and headed for the lighthouse on the English key, known as Cayo Lobos. Wolf Key, two miles in sight of the lighthouse a very stiff breeze arose, which tossed their boat to and fro,